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**J. H. DARBY, Druggist.**

P. S.—I have a large, fresh and full stock of Drugs and Druggists' Sundries.

### Local and Personal.

—Born, unto Mr. and Mrs. L. Riddle, on the 12th instant, a son.

—Dr. W. R. Dondy, of Polzer, was visiting in Wallalla Tuesday.

—The voice of the tax collector will soon be heard in the land. Get ready for him.

—Mr. David C. Strother, of West Union, returns to Wofford College to-day. He is now a junior.

—Miss Alice Strong will return to her school duties in Chicago College, Greenville, next Monday.

—J. H. Whitner, an iron bridge contractor, is in Wallalla to-day on business with the County Commissioners.

—Miss Emma Wickliffe, of West Union, returns to-day to resume her studies in Limestone College at Gaffney.

—Miss Mamie Ansel will return to her school duties in the Memminger school in Charleston on next Tuesday.

—Near a "union" meeting, which begins in the Wallalla Baptist church on Thursday, 27th instant.

—The backache of summer was broken on Tuesday morning, when the weather came near reaching the freezing point.

—Dr. D. B. Darby left Tuesday morning for Orangeburg, where he took his son Jack to enter Orangeburg College.

—Rev. J. M. Sanders will preach at Pleasant Hill Baptist church on the fourth Sunday in September at 11 o'clock A. M.

—Miss Emma Merriek leaves to-day to enter Converse College. Her many friends in Wallalla wish her great success in her studies.

—Miss Nettie Gibson left last week for Aetowh, Ga., where she will spend several months on a visit to her sister, Mrs. G. W. Grogan.

—Miss Ann Strother, of West Union, and Misses Anna Verner and Anna Terhune, of Wallalla, return to their studies in Converse College to-day.

—Mr. Luther Tideman returned to his home in Charleston this morning, after spending two months at the home of his uncle, Dr. G. C. Probst.

—E. K. Miller, who lives near Seneca, caught a large owl in a steel trap one night last week. It measured 4 feet and 8 inches from tip to tip of wings.

—While it is lawful to kill doves, if you can, it is unlawful to kill partridges, wild turkeys, wood cocks, until the first day of November, so says the law.

—Mack Johnson, a young colored boy, died at the home of his mother, Hulda Johnson, in Wallalla, this morning at five o'clock after a lingering illness.

—Mr. C. Sholor, instructor in the machine shops at Clemson College, spent Saturday night and Sunday in town visiting his uncle, J. W. Sholor, Esq.

—Mr. H. L. Weaver, of Roswell, Ga., arrived in Wallalla Tuesday and will spend a few days visiting Mr. W. J. Neville. His many friends are pleased to meet him again.

—The Rt. Rev. H. P. Northrop, D. D., Bishop of Charleston, will administer the Sacrament of Confirmation at Wallalla on the 5th Sunday in September, the 30th day of the month.

—Messrs. W. L. Verner and J. A. Steek are visiting friends at Marietta, Ga., this week. They have doubtless become first-rate Georgia crackers and will return completely metamorphosed. Watch!

—Messrs. Charley Lyles, A. L. Rowland and others will conduct an all-day singing at Belmont on the 5th Sunday in this month. Public invited to attend and bring their singing books and well-filled baskets.

—Miss Corrie Phinney, of West Union, returned to her duties in the Williamson Female College last Thursday. This popular institution of learning opened with a larger attendance of young ladies than usual.

—We are requested to announce that Professors Lenderman and Lesley will conduct an all-day singing at Shiloh church on the fourth Sunday, September 23d. Prof. Lenderman has taught a singing school there and proved to be a capable teacher.

—We had a pleasant call on Tuesday morning from Mr. C. S. Stribling, formerly of this (Oconee) county. He is highly pleased with his adopted home and says the crops are good in that section of Georgia in which he lives.

—Mrs. H. Timoxena Sloan died at her home at Franklin, N. C., on Wednesday, 12th instant, aged sixty-five years. She was the mother of our townsman, Mr. J. S. Sloan, who has the sympathy of many friends in his bereavement. A good woman has gone to her reward.

—Mrs. C. A. Miekler, of Ridge Spring, Edgefield county, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. W. A. Strother and Mrs. R. C. Strother, and son, Mr. J. C. Miekler, and other relatives in Wallalla and West Union. Her many friends are pleased to meet her again and see her looking so well.

—Hon. C. N. King, Senator from the 43d Senatorial District of Georgia, with his family, is in town visiting his kinsman, J. W. Sholor, and family. Mrs. King is a native of this county and is a daughter of the late Thomas Cleveland and a grand-daughter of the late Foster Perry, of this county, and has many friends in Oconee who will be glad to see her.

—Miss Cora Strong, who has been teaching mathematics in Chicago College, Greenville, S. C., has resigned her position in order to prosecute a course of study at Cornell University. Miss Strong is one of Wallalla's most thoroughly educated young ladies, but she is not satisfied with her present attainments, and hence her course of instruction in one of the highest institutions of learning in our land.

—Married, this (Wednesday) afternoon at four o'clock, at the residence of the bride's mother, Mrs. J. L. Fennell, near Conners, Mr. Elijah Gillison to Miss Burt Fennell, Rev. R. L. Rogers officiating. The bride is one of Oconee's most popular young ladies, and the groom a most successful young farmer. Their many friends extend congratulations and wish the happy couple a long life of happiness and prosperity.

—There was a heavy frost at Highlands Tuesday morning.

—Mr. Bennis Grubbs, of Fair Play, is clerking in C. W. Baulknight's store.

—Mr. T. D. Mullinax is now the boss night weaver in the Wallalla Cotton Mills.

—Good middling cotton is selling for 104 cents on the Wallalla and Seneca markets.

—Mrs. J. G. Schaid has returned from her visit to Asheville, N. C. She arrived in Wallalla last Monday.

—Bishop Ellison Capers preached two able and edifying sermons in the Episcopal church at Wallalla last Sunday morning and evening.

—Dr. W. T. Stoddard leaves to-day for Baltimore, Md., where he will remain for some time in the Johns-Hopkins Hospital.

—Rev. R. L. Duffie is conducting a series of meetings at Zion Methodist church. He is being assisted by Rev. G. F. Clarkson.

—Rev. W. P. Holland has accepted a position as teacher in the Seneca High School and will preach to churches in that community.

—The second division of the Beaverton Association will meet with Chauga church September 28th and 30th. Program will be published on these days.

—Messrs. C. W. Pifford and C. W. Baulknight leave to-day for New York, where they will spend two weeks buying goods, seeing the sights and recreating.

—Mrs. Dr. W. J. Bowen left Monday for her home at Mount Pleasant after spending several weeks visiting her father, Sheriff W. W. Moss, and other relatives.

—Married, September 10th, 1900, at the home of the bride, by Rev. J. G. Schaid, Mr. Will "n" Lindsay and Miss Luegenia Owens. May life's sky ever be bright above them.

—Jack Frost put in an appearance in the Tugalo river section Tuesday morning, doing considerable damage to cotton and other vegetation. The extent of the damage done cannot be ascertained, but the damage to cotton is seen in many places.

—Mr. Elias Earle, a graduate of Clemson College, has recently accepted the position of electrician in charge of the plant that runs the factory and lights the city of Yorkville. He is a son of Hon. E. P. Earle, of Terrell, and has many friends in Oconee who wish him the greatest success.

—Mr. James T. Robins died at his home in Wallalla yesterday at 9 o'clock P. M., of typhoid fever. He was in the 28th year of his age and he leaves a wife and one child to mourn his death. The remains were laid to rest in the Westview cemetery to-morrow morning at 10 o'clock.

—Adeline May, the nine months old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Burnside, of West Union, died last Friday, 14th instant, after an illness of only four days, and was buried in the Lutheran cemetery Saturday afternoon, after funeral services by Rev. J. G. Schaid. The bereaved parents have the sympathy of many friends in their sorrow.

—The four-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Talley died at his home, near Salem, last Friday night. He was a bright boy and the idol of his parents. His remains were laid to rest in the burying ground at Whitmer's church on Saturday, after appropriate services conducted by Rev. J. B. Colley. The parents have the sympathy of many friends in their sore bereavement.

—Miss Cora Strong left Monday morning for Ithaca, New York, where she will take a post graduate course in Cornell University. Miss Cora is a young lady of studious habits and broad culture. We expect to hear good reports from her in the future. That she should become the leader of her class would not surprise us in the least. We join a host of friends in wishing her the greatest success.

—The County Commissioners for this county met the Supervisor of Pickens county at Steele's Ford yesterday for the purpose of considering the advisability of building a bridge over Keowee river at that point. The letting of the contract had been advertised and bids were received. The bid for building an iron bridge was \$3,500, and for a wooden bridge \$3,000. The Commissioners have the matter under consideration, and we learn will determine the matter to-day.

—Lunney's 8-Hour Liver Regulator is the best remedy to relieve the various forms of headache, including nervous and sick headache, and it is safe to say that nine cases out of ten of this distressing complaint are due to an inactive or sluggish liver with constipated bowels. A few doses of Lunney's 8-Hour Liver Regulator will soon restore these organs to their proper functions and headache ceases. In the same manner it regulates the bowels, prevents constipation and cures, relieves all forms of biliousness, such as dizziness, nausea, coated tongue, loss of appetite, &c. Try it. Large packages 25c. at Lunney's.

**Overflow at Clemson.**

Clemson College opened last Wednesday with an overflow of students in spite of the fact that all had been notified not to come unless they had been accepted. A dozen or more were turned away after reaching there. No student should go unless he has been accepted. It is impossible to make room.

**Escaped from Jail.**

On last Friday morning, 14th instant, about two o'clock, Mark Burrell and T. P. Ray made their escape from jail by boring a hole through the wall with a brace and bit which had been smuggled to them by some person. They have not yet been captured, but will surely be in the course of time.

**Attention, County Chairman.**

Governor McSweney is anxious that there should be no delay in the appointments of the State and Federal Commissioners of Election. He asks that all County Chairmen of the Democratic party take the matter up at once and forward the names of suitable men for the appointments. The appointments have to be made thirty days before the general election in November.

—PHOTOS.—Closing notice.—We will close business in Wallalla next Saturday evening, September 22. Those still wanting pictures made will please call without delay.

GALLAGHER BROS.

**Cotton Mills Running Day and Night.**

Notwithstanding the high price of cotton and the low price of cotton goods, President E. R. Lucas, of the Wallalla Cotton Mills, is not the least discouraged. On the contrary he began again on Monday last to run both day and night. The new machinery has been placed and everything is moving satisfactorily.

**Public School Term—District No. 26.**

By resolution of the Board of Trustees for Wagener School District, No. 26, the free public school term for said district will open on Monday, October 1, 1900. During the term all schools receiving any part of the free public school funds will be entirely free. All parents are urged to send their children.

E. J. HENDON,  
Chairman Board of Trustees.

**Stock Quotations.**

South Carolina cotton mill stock is way up in the list on the stock market. The quotation asked on the market for the five highest are: Pacolet Manufacturing Company 255, Polzer Manufacturing Company 185, Piedmont Manufacturing Company 187, Laurens Mills 142 and Union Mills 137. The lowest in the list is the Warren Manufacturing Company, 86. The best we see offered for Carolina mill stock in the list is 110.

**Death at Salem.**

Died, at her home, Salem, S. C., on September 13th, Mrs. Emma Littleton, wife of Wm. Littleton, after three months' suffering. In her death the community has lost a good Christian woman and her husband a loving and devoted wife. She had been a consistent member of the Fall Creek Baptist church for the past 17 years. Her place in the home and church will be hard to fill. Funeral services were conducted by Rev. Frank Murphree. Her father (Mr. Fendley) wishes to express his high appreciation for kindness shown by the neighbors in his daughter's (Mrs. Littleton) sickness and death.

**For the Galveston Sufferers.**

Mr. J. C. Wallaz, of 1831 North 12th street, Philadelphia, Pa., will accept our thanks for late copies of "The North American," a daily paper published in the "City of Brotherly Love." This paper is doing a noble work in behalf of the Galveston sufferers, having sent out through its efforts two special trains to the stricken city loaded with provisions, clothing, &c. The paper states that in seven hours work a quarter of a million pounds of supplies were packed in four big freight cars attached to "The North American's" first Galveston relief train, comprising hundreds of barrels of flour, potatoes and fruits, boxes of every size, bags, packages, &c. They came from hundreds of contributors from every part of the city. A second relief train of like proportions as the first is sending its way to Galveston to feed the hungry and starving. All praise to the liberal and big-hearted Philadelphians in their deeds of love and mercy.

**Real Estate Transfers.**

The following real estate transfers have been recorded on the Auditor's books since September 1, 1900:

Tugalo Township—Wm. J. Stribling to J. R. Stutiles, 100 acres, \$150; Wm. J. Stribling to Bismann Long, 433 acres, \$1,500; Wm. J. Cobb to B. R. Moss and W. N. Cox, one sixth interest in 107 acres, \$150.

Seneca City—T. A. Norton to Campbell Courtenay, 8 lots, \$118; Campbell Courtenay to Henry Wiggins, 8 lots, \$133; Henry Wiggins to W. F. Austin, 8 lots, \$160; Geo. L. Martin, Trustee, and Annie L. Martin to O. K. Doyle, 1 lot, \$2,000.

County Township—N. S. Lumpkin to A. W. Tanner, 3 acres, \$30; Samuel Thomas to A. W. Tanner, 34 acres, \$42; Richard Lewis, Master, to A. W. Tanner, 65 acres, \$100; A. W. Tanner to Elizabeth Tanner, 100 acres, \$800; Mrs. Elizabeth Tanner to Jas. D. Rogers, 100 acres, \$1,200; A. W. Tanner to Jas. D. Rogers, 84 acres, \$800; Jane V. Verner to A. W. Tanner, 176 acres, \$5.

Westminster—Mrs. S. C. Mason to M. S. Stribling, 1 lot, \$2,000.

Keowee Township—W. M. Alexander to W. J. Hunt, 44 acres, \$462.

**A New York Scandal.**

The mystery surrounding the suicide of Henry Grosvenor Barbour, son of Rev. Henry M. Barbour, rector of the Church of the Beloved Disciple, in New York City, has been cleared up. Young Barbour shot himself last Thursday evening at a Brooklyn hotel, his body being found on Friday morning. He had come to the place with a young woman who was described as being beautiful to a degree. She disappeared and the events leading up to the affair might have remained hidden had she not been found Saturday in Seney Hospital, Brooklyn, with a bullet in her breast. This wound, she says, was inflicted by Barbour.

The young woman in the case is Miss Helen Southgate Forbes, 19 years of age. When a child she was adopted by Bishop Horatio Southgate, a distinguished Episcopal missionary. According to her story, young Barbour was drinking and proposed a double suicide, she accepting the proposal. Barbour shot her in the right breast. He then killed himself by sending a bullet into his mouth. She was only wounded and quickly left the room and hotel and went to Seney Hospital. The physicians there are in doubt about her recovery.

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**Coal Miners Strike.**

On Monday last the miners in the anthracite coal regions of Pennsylvania organized a strike, and it is estimated that an army of 112,000 men quit work. Great excitement prevails and a coal famine is threatened. It is evident that the miners know nothing of McKinley prosperity.

**The Merchants' and Planters' Oil Mill at Houston, Texas,** one of the largest cotton seed oil manufacturing and refining plants of the South, was destroyed by fire September 16. The loss is estimated at between \$350,000 and \$400,000; insurance, \$152,500. Three hundred and fifty men will be thrown out of employment.

## OFFICIAL RETURNS OF THE SECOND DEMOCRATIC PRIMARY ELECTION FOR OCONEE.

PRECINCTS.	STATE OFFICERS.						COUNTY OFFICERS.																		Total Vote Cast.			
	Governor.	Lieut. Gov.	Railroad Com.	State Senator.	House of Representatives.	Sheriff.	Clerk of Court.	Supervisor.	Coroner.	Supt. of Education.	County Commissioners.																	
	M. B. McSweney.	James A. Hoyt.	Jas. H. Tillman.	John T. Sloan.	W. D. Evans.	J. H. Wharton.	S. P. Dendy.	E. L. Herndon.	W. M. Brown.	J. W. Beard.	R. A. Thompson.	J. W. Todd.	B. R. Moss.	W. D. Stribling.	R. E. Mason.	C. R. D. Burns.	S. M. Pool.	F. W. Pieper.	W. L. Harbin.	W. H. Reeder.	W. H. Barron.	C. L. Craig.	J. H. Canrell.	W. N. Cox.		W. S. Pritchard.	S. H. Sneed.	
Poplar Springs	26	8	25	4	25	4	16	14	24	21	7	8	19	11	8	21	10	20	28	2	11	19	15	9	19	17	30	
Wallalla	263	130	179	202	147	236	162	226	198	201	313	68	210	175	137	265	158	234	140	261	119	102	104	207	88	329	394	
West Union	11	53	69	65	28	70	20	95	55	92	80	19	55	71	17	105	36	80	103	23	76	34	12	45	26	40	127	
Richland	10	51	9	53	7	54	49	13	85	86	14	39	10	51	81	30	50	12	22	40	27	34	12	45	26	40	127	
Oakway	17	12	64	6	73	10	127	76	60	100	91	31	60	95	46	93	46	131	9	67	83	49	91	37	61	115	109	
Seneca	114	183	135	106	98	188	140	149	103	119	120	150	142	145	122	160	183	103	267	24	124	106	98	100	161	191	280	
South Union	52	18	62	17	40	29	7	62	52	24	47	15	34	34	34	34	21	48	40	30	31	38	6	11	41	28	42	
Earle's Mills	37	6	32	10	31	11	21	21	39	20	18	7	9	32	21	21	39	3	84	8	10	32	4	14	28	40	16	
Tokena	27	22	38	12	38	10	15	33	37	27	18	16	21	28	12	84	47	2	41	8	8	41	14	28	40	16	48	
Conners	19	1	10	1	6	14	6	13	9	15	15	15	15	15	1	18	13	6	10	9	3	15	6	12	3	16	19	
Westminster	55	179	79	156	35	200	178	73	131	191	125	61	141	103	221	28	102	12	165	88	91	151	37	232	174	63	249	
Fair Play	16	96	27	85	11	101	81	81	67	68	73	10	60	62	62	19	74	29	60	51	60	43	20	60	7	98	116	
Holly Springs	30	22	17	35	45	7	24	28	38	28	10	21	35	17	35	17	47	5	80	22	38	14	35	46	8	15	52	
Oak Grove	29	10	11	57	58	11	52	16	59	11	54	12	14	54	54	23	45	64	14	67	1	40	22	35	6	39	15	20
Clemson College	47	21	11	57	58	11	52	16	59	11	54	12	14	54	54	23	45	64	14	67	1	40	22	35	6	39	15	20
Double Springs	34	32	63	12	51	14	17	61	43	53	44	15	37	41	50	49	69	9	9	45	30	38	40	49	21	39	7	
Newry	32	62	109	86	63	82	95	60	140	27	114	11	117	83	33	117	122	25	134	16	42	100	43	106	54	79	160	
Salem	80	61	101	96	44	65	80	106	43	118	28	110	36	81	114	60	86	124	21	46	6	30	21	30	18	32	45	
Mount Taber	32	11	43	12	32	8	6	37	37	22	14	12	29	32	10	13	10	2	2	3	10	6	30	2	16	22	36	
High Falls	42	7	1	48	18	21	9	89	32	16	18	30	22	28	19	28	13	35	37	10	6	30	2	16	22	36		
Friendship	21	24	28	17	26	9	15	30	18	17	16	20	25	20	27	17	15	6	13	8	12	9	2	21	12	7	21	
Union Mills	15	6	19	10	19	3	18	12	18	9	8	4	17	4	10	12	20	40	49	13	14	49	26	59	20	15	63	
Fort Madison	19	42	45	36	27	34	14	42	37	47	25	14	35	44	25	49	14	24	10	22	9	29	2	2	3	10	6	
Tugalo Academy	6	31	12	25	24	13	12	26	11	29	33	8	14	24	10	22	9	29	2	2	3	10	6	30	2	16	22	
Little River	28	18	29	17	43	3	40	12	28	18	42	16	37	14	23	30	40	13	23	30	29	27	22	32	10	34	60	
Thomassee	22	27	39	10	22	27	8	41	26	20	35	17	34	16	7	42	31	10	88	12	28	22	22	32	10	34	60	
Cherry Hill	42	2	40	4	40	4	16	29	10	13	25	4	21	4	41	24	21	8	37	8	37	27	30	4	36	10	40	
Damascus	51	26	20	49	60	9	87	64	68	31	33	68	65	36	67	35	96	4	32	70	37	65	83	39	48	102		
Belmont	18	3	14	7	16	5	7	14	9	17	14	2	11	10	4	17	5	16	18	2	12	9	9	11	14	5	12	
Belthelam	25	3	25	8	23	5	6	28	12	19	22	3	17	11	2	26	9	10	20	8	10	12	11	18	2	25	28	
Providence	4	10	8	6	1	13	7	6	13	7	6	13	7	6	13	7	6	13	7	6	13	7	6	13	7	6	13	
Jocasse	22	6	28	1	27	17	9	24	24	4	22	22	4	5	21	14	12	10	7	8	23	24	2	2	2	2	2	
Totals	1348	1271	1388	1221	1119	1488	1202	1401	1699	1388	1555	761	1471	1229	1217	1473	1055	1024	1712	988	1187	1511	913	1071	1237	1584	2773	